

A Healthy Border with Mexico = More Jobs in Vermont

Job Creation and Growth

In the United States...

- Trade with Mexico supports **6 million** U.S. jobs, or **1 in every 24** workers in the nation depends on U.S.-Mexico trade for their employment.
- Mexico is the **second** largest destination for U.S. exports and **third** largest source of imports.
- A **full 40%** of U.S. imports from Mexico are made of content produced in the United States.

In Vermont, specifically...

**\$130 Million
in Exports
to Mexico**



**14,372 Jobs
rely on Trade
with Mexico**

- Vermont's exports to Mexico have **grown at an annual average rate of 9.4%** over the past two decades. In 2012, the exports to Mexico increased by 80.6% with respect to the previous year.
- Since 1992, Vermont's exports to Mexico have **increased by 453.8%**, while those to the rest of the world rose 51.2%. This means that the export growth rate to Mexico **is 8.86 times** higher than its export growth rate for the rest of the world.
- Among all countries, Mexico is ranked as **the 8th largest market for goods** from Vermont in 2012. Mexico accounted for 3.1% of Vermont's exports worldwide in 2012.

*Ensuring adequate resources and infrastructure
at our ports of entry means more jobs for Americans*